

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

1. Cancelled

2. (Currently Amended) ~~Flat flexible cable according to Claim 1, characterized by the fact that~~ Laminated or extruded flat flexible cable comprising electrical flat conductor tracks, characterized by the fact that the widths of conductor tracks (2, 2', 2'') are variable and are staggered in an arithmetic sequence, and that the spacings (4) between adjacent conductor tracks are of the same size or also staggered in an arithmetic sequence; and wherein

contacting of the conductor tracks (2, 2', 2'') occurs independently of their width by means of connectors whose contacts are provided equidistant from each other at a spacing equal to the width of a narrowest conductor track multiplied by a base spacing between the conductor tracks.

3. (Previously Presented) A laminated or extruded flat flexible cable, characterized by the fact that widths of conductor tracks are staggered in an arithmetic sequence and that the spacings (4) between adjacent conductor tracks are of the same size or also are staggered in an arithmetic sequence, and further characterized by the fact that the width of each conductor track is a whole number multiple of 2.54 mm and that the spacing between adjacent conductor tracks is 1 mm or 1 mm plus a whole number multiple of 2.54 mm.

4. (Currently Amended) Laminated or extruded flat flexible cable comprising electrical ~~flat conductors~~ conductor tracks, characterized by the fact that the widths of conductor tracks (2, 2', 2'') in one plane are staggered in an arithmetic sequence, and that the spacings (4) between adjacent conductor tracks are of the same size or also staggered in an arithmetic sequence.